

HECTOR DE LA TORRE

Assemblymember, 50th District

COMMUNITY COLLEGE

SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

The Southeast Community College Scholarships are award to deserving college students who reside in the Southeast communities of the 30th Senate District and the 50th Assembly District. The Scholarship is designed to support and encourage students to obtain a higher education. To accomplish this goal, an essay describing career objectives is required.

THEME: Higher Education Enhances Your Career Opportunities

ESSAY: WRITE AN ESSAY EXPRESSING YOUR VIEW ON HOW A HIGHER EDUCATION

WILL ENHANCE YOUR CAREER OPPORTUNITIES.

SCHOLARSHIP

AMOUNT:

\$500 one time scholarship grant.

SCHOLARSHIP REQUIREMENTS:

- 1. MUST BE A COMMUNITY COLLEGE STUDENT
- 2. Must have graduated from high school, adult school, or hold a GED.
- 3. Minimum of 2.5 G.P.A. required. (Note: G.P.A. must include all college courses completed.)
- 4. Scholarship winners must attend the award ceremony in July.
- 5. Must be a resident of the following cities: Bell, Bellflower, Bell Gardens, Commerce, Cudahy, Downey, East Los Angeles (90022, 90023, 90040), Huntington Park, Los Angeles (90001, 90002), Lynwood, Maywood, South Gate and Walnut Park.

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION MUST INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING:

- 1. An application form listing your school and community activities.
- 2. One letter of recommendation from a professor, counselor, supervisor, or community leader.
- 3. Copy of your college transcripts.
- 4. 500 word essay on your interpretation of how "higher education enhances your career opportunities"

SCHOLARSHIP DEADLINE: May 23rd, 2008 by 5:00 p.m.

All applications must be mailed or delivered to:

Assemblymember Hector De La Torre Southeast College Conference Scholarship 8724 Garfield Avenue, Suite 104 South Gate, CA 90280

HECTOR DE LA TORRE

Assemblymember, 50TH District

2008 SOUTHEAST COLLEGE CONFERENCE COMMUNITY COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE: DATE: _____ PHONE NUMBER:() _____ NAME: _____ MIDDLE INITIAL ADDRESS:_____ STREET APT. # ZIP CODE CITY STATE CURRENT COMMUNITY COLLEGE:______G.P.A._ MAJOR:_____UNITS COMPLETED:____ CAREER GOAL: _____ 4 YEAR COLLEGE YOU PLAN TO ATTEND: ______ HOURS YOU WORK PER WEEK: IF YOU NEED MORE SPACE, PLEASE ATTACH ADDITIONAL SHEETS. EXTRACURRICULAR/COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES:_____ AWARDS/HONORS:____ SPECIAL INTERESTS/HOBBIES/TALENTS:

ATTACH A 500 WORD ESSAY ON YOUR INTERPRETATION OF THE CONFERENCE THEME: "HIGHER EDUCATION ENHANCES YOUR CAREER OPPORTUNITIES."